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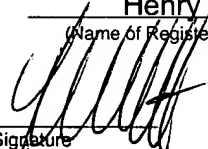
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In re Application of:)
HEINER BECKER)
Appl. No: 09/486,021)
Filed: February 18, 2000)
For: PROCESS FOR INJECTION MOLDING, INJECTION)
MOLD AND INJECTION MOLDING DEVICE, AS)
WELL AS PROCESS FOR FILLING A MAIN)
EXTRUDER FROM A SECONDARY EXTRUDER))

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.56, applicant wishes to call the attention of the Examiner to the following references 1) to 16) which were cited in the International Search Report issued by the European Patent Office with regard to the corresponding international patent application No. PCT/DE98/02449 and references 17) to 30) which were cited in the German Search Report issued by the German Patent Office with regard to the corresponding German patent application No. 198 08.145.6 Applicant does not admit that any of the cited documents constitutes prior art against the pending application.

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Copies of these references are submitted herewith along with form PTO-1449. The Examiner is requested to initial the attached form PTO-1449 and to return a copy of the initialed document to the undersigned as an indication that the attached references have been considered and made of record.

- ☒ This Information Disclosure Statement is filed before the issuance of a first Office Action on the merits so that no fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.97 is due.
- ☐ Enclosed, please also find a check for the amount of \$240.00 to cover the fee for filing the above Information Disclosure Statement.

In order to satisfy the requirement under 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(3) for a concise explanation of the relevance of each item of information, applicant herewith submits a copy of the International and German Search Report together with a translation of the relevant pages thereof.

The above-identified application discloses and claims an invention patentable over this prior art.

Entry of the references above set forth into the file of the above application is believed to be in order and is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0502.

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